

# Flood Guidance Statement

10:30hrs Monday 25 March 2019

FLOODFORECASTINGCENTRE

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Monday

25 Mar 2019 10:30-23:59  
Trend since last FGS

Steady →

Tuesday

26 Mar 2019

Steady →

Wednesday

27 Mar 2019

Steady →

Thursday

28 Mar 2019

Steady →

Friday

29 Mar 2019

Steady →

The overall flood risk is VERY LOW.

## Assessment of flood risk



### Coastal/Tidal

The overall coastal/tidal flood risk is VERY LOW.

Spring tides are now decreasing. There is potential for a surge today (Monday) along southern North Sea coasts. Some flood mitigation operational activity is likely but any flooding impacts will be minimal.



### Rivers

The overall river flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.



### Surface water

The surface water flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.



### Groundwater

The groundwater flood risk is VERY LOW for the next five days.

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### Flood risk matrix



### Summary of potential impacts

#### MINIMAL

Isolated and minor flooding of low-lying land and roads  
Isolated spray/wave on coastal promenades  
Little or no disruption to travel, but wet road surfaces

#### MINOR

Localised flooding of land and roads  
Flooding affecting individual properties  
Disruption to travel and key sites in flood plans

#### SIGNIFICANT

Flooding affecting parts of communities  
Possible danger to life and damage to buildings/structures  
Disruption to travel and key sites in flood plans

#### SEVERE

Danger to life, severe disruption to travel  
Widespread flooding affecting whole communities  
Widespread disruption or loss of infrastructure  
Large scale evacuation of properties possible

Next statement due **10:30hrs Tuesday 26 March 2019 (all times are local)**

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